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Dear Gan:

We were very pleased to be able to meet you in Copenhagen and are looking forward to your joining us in February.

I just wanted to mention that we will be starting our work at Stanford in California directly February 1, 1959. Among other things this means you will not have to go through the dislocation involved in setting up here at Wisconsin and then moving later on. Going through my papers I do not see any record of formalities for the University's endorsement of your application for a visa. If you have not started this I suggest that you do so immediately and let me know what will be required so that I can obtain the necessary documents for you from Stanford University. I will also see that you get the routine application forms for admission to the graduate school at Stanford. I am planning an assistantship for you that will leave you in about the same circumstances as you would have had here. You will be compensated for the extra tuition fees required at Stanford University. In addition there will be enough left over to take account of your increased travel expense as compared to Wisconsin. I suggest that you make arrangements to get a through ticket from Copenhagen to San Francisco. I will be sending you some general information about Stanford and the San Francisco area. I believe you can get a very favorable rate for air travel direct by the polar route via Los Angeles. I will give you more detailed information later on about the exact timing of the move. I will be at Palo Alto sometime late in January and then return again during the first several days of February for the final move. Owing to the quarter system you will not have to register in a formal way until March 30 so we have a leeway of a few days for the actual time of your arrival. We can discuss this further later on.

Yours sincerely,

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